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Docket Number (Optional) ÉTITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 3061-40A.1 CIP Application Number 10/600,436 Filed June 23, 2003 For Method and Cover For Grass Protection and Restoration and For Seed Germination Art Unit 3643 Examiner VALENTI, Andrea M. This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Fee **Small Entity Fee** One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$110 \$55 55 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$430 \$215 0 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$980 \$490 0 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1530 \$765 0 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2080 \$1040 0 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. 01/27/2005 RGEDREH1 00000009 130398 10500435 A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. 01 FC:2251 60.00 DA Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 13-0398 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. WARNING: Information on thei form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. I am the applicant/inventor assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent onder 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number/if acting under 37 CFR 27,375 January 21, 2005 Signature Date Ian Fincham (613) 234-1907 Telephone Number Typed or printed name NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. Total of forms are submitted.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.136(a). The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 6 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.